

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior listings and versions of the claims in this application.

Listing of Claims:

Claims 1-34 (Canceled).

Claim 35 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device for treating forage comprising:

a rotor driven in rotation about an axis, the rotor including a support and at least one conditioning element, the at least one conditioning element comprising:

at least one active part configured to work the forage;

a first connecting part configured to connect the at least one conditioning element to the support by a first connection; and

a second connecting part configured to maintain connection of the at least one conditioning element to the support should the first connection break.

Claim 36 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 35, wherein the support includes a tube and at least one connecting element.

Claim 37 (Currently Amended ): A forage treatment device according to Claim 36, wherein the second ~~connection~~ connecting part is configured to connect the at least one conditioning element to the tube should the first connection break.

Claim 38 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 37, wherein the second connecting part includes a body and a head, a width dimension of the head being greater than a width dimension of the body.

Claim 39 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 38, wherein the body is connected to the first connecting part.

Claim 40 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 38, wherein the second connecting part extends at least partially inside the tube.

Claim 41 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 40, wherein a surface of the tube has at least one notch allowing the second connecting part to be introduced at least partially into the tube.

Claim 42 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 41, wherein the at least one notch comprises an entry area having a width greater than or equal to the width of the head.

Claim 43 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 41, wherein the at least one notch includes a holding area with a width less than the width of the head but greater than or equal to the width of the body.

Claim 44 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 41, wherein the at least one notch extends in a plane at least substantially perpendicular to an axis of rotation of the rotor.

Claim 45 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 41, wherein the at least one notch includes an entry area and a holding area, and wherein, viewed in a direction of rotation of the rotor, the entry area is arranged forward of the holding area.

Claim 46 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 37, wherein the at least one connecting element is connected removably to the tube.

Claim 47 (Previously Presented): A forage treatment device according to Claim 35, wherein the first connection comprises an articulation of a pivot type.

Claim 48 (Currently Amended): A forage treatment device according to Claim 36, wherein the second ~~connection~~ connecting part is configured to connect the at least one conditioning element to the at least one connecting element should the first connection break.

Claim 49 (Previously Presented): An agricultural machine comprising a forage treatment device according to Claim 35.

Claim 50 (Previously Presented): An agricultural machine according to Claim 49, wherein the agricultural machine comprises a mower.